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GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY

DEPARTMENT OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT CHIEF SECRETARIAT (FISHERIES)

(G.O. Ms. No. 9/Fy., dated 6th September 2012)

NOTIFICATION

The Lieutenant-Governor, Puducherry is pleased to enhance the quantum of immediate relief assistance for the legal heir of the deceased/missing fishermen under the scheme "Welfare and Relief for Fishermen during Lean Season and Natural Calamities" in the Union territory of Puducherry.

AMENDMENT

- 1. Short title and commencement.— (1) These rules may be hereafter called as—
 - (a) Immediate death relief assistance @ $\stackrel{?}{\underset{\sim}{\sim}}$ 2.00 lakks for the legal heir of the deceased fishermen;

- (b) Immediate relief assistance @ ₹ 1.50 lakhs for the legal heir of the missing fishermen.
- (2) They shall be deemed to have come into force with effect from the date of issue of this notification.

In paragraph 5(a)(ii) and 5(b) (iii) (a) and (b) the following shall be substituted.

- 5(a) (ii) Pattern of assistance.— Cash assistance of $\stackrel{?}{\underset{?}{?}}$ 2.00 lakhs to the family (legal heir) of deceased fishermen within 15 days to 3 months of time from the date of receipt of application as in Annexures-I and II from the affected family.
- 5(b) (iii) (a).— Cash assistance @ ₹ 1.50 lakhs for the family (legal heir) of the missing fishermen will be extended in two phases after scrutiny of application and approval of the Government. Initially, a cash assistance of 50% i.e., ₹ 0.75 lakh will be extended within 3 months from the date of receipt of application as in Annexure-I for the family (legal heir) of missing fishermen regarding the incident with authenticated documents. The family (legal heir) of the missing fishermen should approach the department for the release of balance 50% of relief which will be deposited in the bank in a joint account in the name of kin (legal heir) and the competent authority concerned. The deposited relief assistance of ₹ 0.75 lakh shall be released after 9 months of period from the date of release of 1st part of lump sum for the family (legal heir) of the missing fishermen. In case of return of the missing fishermen, the amount extended as compensation either ₹ 0.75 lakh or ₹ 1.50 lakhs as the case may be, will be recovered by invoking insurance bond.
- 5(b)(iii)(b).— The ex gratia amount will be released to the next kin of missing person subject to the condition that they should execute an indemnity bond to the value of \mathfrak{T} 1.50 lakhs in addition to the undertaking certificate from the legal heir.

Further, the quantum of assistance mentioned wherever in the G. O. Ms. No. 31/Fy., dated 6-9-2011 from the Under Secretary to Government (Fisheries), Chief Secretariat, Puducherry as $\stackrel{?}{\underset{?}{|}}$ 1.00 lakh for the family of missing/deceased will be substituted as $\stackrel{?}{\underset{?}{|}}$ 1.50 lakhs for the legal heir of the missing fishermen and $\stackrel{?}{\underset{?}{|}}$ 2.00 lakhs for the legal heir of the deceased fishermen.

2. This issues with the concurrence of the Finance Department, Puducherry *vide* their U.O. No. 1191/2012-13/F4, dated 30-8-2012.

(By order of the Lieutenant-Governor)

V. MANICKASAMY, Under Secretary to Government (Fisheries).

GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY **DEPARTMENT OF FISHERIES AND FISHERMEN WELFARE**

ANNEXURE - I

Application for immediate relief assistance for the legal heir of the deceased fishermen/missing fishermen under the scheme "Welfare and Relief for Fishermen During Lean Season and Natural Calamities"

Photograph of deceased/ missing fishermen

- 1. (a) Name and address of the : deceased/missing fishermen.
 - (b) Aadhaar No. (Attested copy):
- 2. Caste and membership No. of FMCS / FWMCS.
- 3. Date of accident
- 4. Date of death/missing
- 5. Place of death/missing
- Age at death/missing (death/: proof for missing issued by competent authority to be enclosed).
- 7. Cause of death/missing : (attested F.I.R. copy to be enclosed in case of missing fishermen and post-mortem report/F.I.R. copy to be enclosed for death case).
- 8. Proof to be enclosed—
 - (i) Electoral Identity Card: (attested copy).
 - (ii) Ration Card (attested copy)
 - (iii) Certificate from the President/Administrator of FCS/FWCS.
 - (iv) Panchayathar's letter of : village concerned.

- (v) Any other proof for missing fishermen (electricity bill/ water bill/patta or chitta copy/school/college certificate/passport/driving licence etc.) and death certificate in case of deceased fishermen.
- (vi) Advertisement of the : missing person in Gazette in Tamil/local newspaper, Municipality/Commune Panchayat Office, Ration Shop and Police Station in the vernacular language.
- (vii) Non-traceable certificate from the concerned Superintendent of Police in case of missing fishermen.
- (viii) Indemnity bond for a value of ₹ 1.00 lakh in case of missing fishermen should be enclosed by the next of kin.
- 9. Name, relationship and address of the legal heir. (affidavit in ₹ 5 stamp paper affixing as the legal heir duly signed in before a Notary Public).

Photograph of the legal heir of deceased/ missing fishermen

DECLARATION

Signature of the legal heir of the deceased/missing fishermen.

Witness (Name with address):

(i)

ANNEXURE – II

(to be filled up by legal heir for claim of immediate relief for the missing fishermen)

UNDERTAKING

(1)(2)

Now, in consideration of the department having made the payment of ₹(Rupeesonly)
to the legal heir, the legal heir agrees to indemnify and produce insurance bond for ₹(which is the claimed amount from this department) with a validity for 12 months obtained from nationalised incurance company.
In case the missing person is later reported to be alive/returns home, the legal heir undertakes to indemnify the department for relief amount paid. Further, the department reserves the right to recover the insured amount from the insurance company by invoking the insurance bond obtained and enclosed by the indemnifier herein in order to avert loss to this administration.
Details of the insured amount are as follows:-
Policy No.:
Date :
Insured amount:
Signature of the indemnifier
Signature and address of witnesses:

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